

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COMMISSION DIRECTIVE**

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER ☐DATE August 04, 2021MOTOR CARRIER MATTER ☐DOCKET NO. 2021-95-EUTILITIES MATTER ☒ORDER NO. 2021-533

**THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE.**

**Order Granting Motion to Compel and Holding in Abeyance All Prefiling Dates and Hearing**

**SUBJECT:**

DOCKET NO. 2021-95-E - James T. Simmons, Complainant/Petitioner v. Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, Defendant/Respondent - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Motion to Compel and Request That the Commission Hold Testimony Deadlines and Hearing in Abeyance Pending Resolution of Motion.

**COMMISSION ACTION:**

I move that the Commission grant the Motion to Compel of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, and require the Complainant to answer the Duke interrogatories by Friday, September 3, 2021. I also move that if the Complainant should fail to answer said interrogatories by the close of business on this date, that Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC may so notify the Commission, and the Commission will consider dismissal of the Complaint. Finally, I move that all pre-filing dates and the hearing date be held in abeyance until further Notice. I so move.

PRESIDING: J. WilliamsSESSION: RegularTIME: 11:00 a.m.

|             | MOTION                              | YES                                 | NO                       | OTHER                      |
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| BELSER      | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Present in Hearing Room    |
| CASTON      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Voting via Audioconference |
| ERVIN       | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Voting via WebEx           |
| POWERS      | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Voting via WebEx           |
| THOMAS      | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Voting via WebEx           |
| C. WILLIAMS | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Voting via WebEx           |
| J. WILLIAMS | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Present in Hearing Room    |

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RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding

